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### Tax Commissioner among leaders addressing international conference

John L. Valentine, Utah State Tax Commissioner, will be among the educational, civic and business leaders addressing the fourth International Women of the Mountains Conference.

The conference will be held Wednesday through Friday at Utah Valley University.

Commissioner Valentine, an Orem resident who previously served 26 years as a state legislator and as Senate President, will discuss building personal relationships between Rocky Mountain communities and Central Asia through legislative exchanges.

While serving in the Utah Senate, Valentine represented the United States on three separate assignments to the Kyrgyz Republic and Takistan.

The three-day conference features a wide range of speakers and panel discussions exploring health, economic, education, exploitation, leadership and other issues directly impacting women and children.

The conference is held to increase awareness and promote women issues both in the Rocky Mountains and globally.

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